



PTO/SB/08A (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of info unless it contains a valid OMB control no.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet

1

of

4

Complete If Known

Application Number	10/735,474
Filing Date	December 12, 2003
First Named Inventor	Eric C. Leuthardt
Group Art Unit	3736
Examiner Name	
Attorney Docket Number	60005161-0061

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials ¹	CiteNo. ¹	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number	Kind Code ² (if known)			
<i>DL</i>	1	4,735,208		Wyler et al. <i>04</i>	05-05-1988	
	2	5,638,826		Wolpaw et al.,	06-17-1997	
	3	6,091,979		Madsen	07-18-2000	
	4	6,304,775		Iasemidis	08-28-1990	10/2001
	5	6,349,231		Musha	02-19-2002	
	6	6,591,138		Fischell	07-08-2003	
<i>DL</i>	7	6,597,954		Pless <i>et al.</i>	07-22-2003	
Examiner Signature	<i>Patricia - upde</i>				Date Considered	12/21/05

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² See attached Kinds of U.S. patent Documents. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Copied from 10736747 on 09/01/2005